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Art Unit: 1634

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**Examiner: James Martinell** 

**APPLICATION NO: 10/590,406** 

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FOR: P53 WILD-TYPE AS BIOMARKER FOR THE TREATMENT WITH

MTOR INHIBITORS IN COMBINATION WITH A CYTOTOXIC

**AGENT** 

MS: Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This Reply is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2008. A three-month extension of time petition is included herewith. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the present rejections are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected on the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.